

**REGISTRATION FORM
CTE LITERACY STRATEGIES
SUMMER INSTITUTE**

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**CTE Literacy
Strategies
Summer
Institute**

July 31 - August 2, 2006

**8:30 a.m. - 2:30 p.m.
each day**

**Thomas College
River Road
Waterville, Maine**

Sponsored by:
Center for Educational Transformation
The Maine Department of Education,
Division of Career and Technical Education
National Governor's Association

CTE Literacy Strategies Summer Institute

Why Literacy? Why Now? Why Me?

21st Century Careers demand a higher level of literacy than has been the case in the past, but many students can't, don't or won't do the required reading and writing at the level they need in order to be successful. Being able to do "hands-on" is necessary but not sufficient in today's world. This institute will provide CTE and applied arts teachers with tools they need to support students' literacy development *while improving learning*.

What will participants learn?

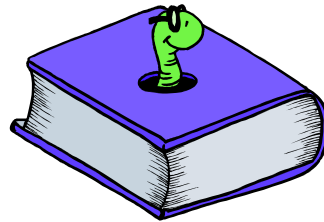
Participants who attend this three-day summer institute will learn how they can assist and motivate students to read strategically. Two follow-up workshops in the fall will focus on vocabulary development and writing-to-learn strategies. This is a GREAT opportunity to learn practical student-tested literacy support strategies to use in your classroom.

Who should participate?

All CTE teachers and applied arts teachers who teach the following: Automotive, Health Sciences, Computer Technology, Metal Trades, Culinary Arts, Early Childhood Education and Building Trades

Any other CTE teachers and applied arts teachers who teach similar content and feel they will be able to adapt examples presented to their specific content area.

This institute will be facilitated by Maine CTE mentor teachers and literacy expert **Susan Ziemba from the Center for Resource Management. Workshop sessions will be practical and highly interactive and will feature student-tested strategies used in CTE classrooms in Maine.**



True or False:

____ The reading levels of technical manuals and CTE textbooks is high.

____ TOO MANY STUDENTS have trouble reading these materials and have difficulty with oral and written communication.

____ Some students are not motivated to read and write in class.

____ I am not sure how to help students improve their reading, writing and presenting skills.

Please tear off this registration form and return to:

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Maine Department of Education
Career and Technical Education
23 State House Station
Augusta, ME 04333-0023

Or fax c/o Angela Birmingham to: 624-6731

Registration Fee:

\$325.00 (includes room and meals)

(Please bring your own linens:

blankets/sheets/pillow cases/towels and washcloths)

\$175.00 (conference and meals only)

Make checks payable to:

Treasurer, State of Maine

Please put:

Conference #07CTE SI1 on check

For more information contact Lora Downing at 207-624-6740 or lora.downing@maine.gov.

To register, contact your CTE director. If you are a high school teacher, contact the CTE director in your region.

Registration is \$325 per person and includes dorm accommodations at Thomas College., all meals, all sessions and all workshop materials.

